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## Obituary.

### NORMAN S. CLARKE

The passing of Norman Clarke in the Holy Cross Hospital, Calgary, on Thursday, July 9 at the age of 68 years, created a vacancy in the business life of the Province as well as in the Didsbury district.

Locally Mr. Clarke was prominent in municipal affairs and for well on forty years was a member of the Westerdale Municipal council, many years serving as reeve. For many years he was a member of the executive of the Alberta Municipal Association and at the time of his passing was vice-president of the Association.

Provincially he was probably the best known dairy man, for years being a member of the council of the Dairymen's Association, and for his untiring efforts he was awarded a life membership. He also served as a member of several Provincial boards of Agriculture.

Mr. Clarke was born at Amherst, Nova Scotia, on March 7th, 1874, where he was educated and where at an early age he became interested in dairying. In 1899 he was united in marriage to Miss Margory Ellen Chapman of Moncton, N.B. Coming to Alberta in 1902, he settled on a ranch in the Sunnyslope district. In 1906 he moved to Didsbury, taking up land west of town, where he established the Didsbury Jersey Farm which is one of the leading dairy farms in the province. He almost immediately entered public life and was untiring in his efforts for the good of his community and province up to the time of his death.

He is survived by his wife, and four sons: Everard of Vernon, B.C., Ernest and Reid of Didsbury, and Lieut. Thomas with the R.C.A. overseas. Also nine grandchildren.

The funeral services were held at the United Church of which he was a member, on Sunday July 13, with the interment at the family plot at the Didsbury cemetery. Rev. J. M. Fawcett conducted the services.

The large gathering of friends, the abundance of flowers and the presence of outstanding men representing the different boards on which he served in the province, testified as to his genial disposition and capacity for making friends.

The honorary pallbearers were Reeve Geo. Clarke, Frank Jackson, Alex Hogg, Fred Niddrie, Ed Ford and Leo Sanderman, while the pallbearers were J. W. McCoy, Dr. Clarke, A. L. McNaughton, W. A. Austin, A. G. Studer, and Fred Moyle. Herb Fisher had charge of funeral arrangements.

Lieut. Norman McLeod was renewing acquaintances in town on Wednesday.

## Dr. McPherson Awarded Fellowship

Dr. McPherson, Medical Officer of Health for the Rosebud Health District, has been awarded a fellowship by the Rockefeller Foundation which will allow him to take a post graduate course in Public Health Administration at the Toronto University.

The fellowship has a value of \$1,500 with certain other allowances which would give him a nine months course at the University and probably another three months practical course in the field.

The Doctor's acceptance of the fellowship at the present time will devolve on being able to find a suitable substitute to take his place during his leave of absence.

At the meeting of the Board which was held on Monday, one year's leave of absence was given to Dr. McPherson providing a substitute could be found.

## Appreciate "Pioneer"

Pte. R. W. Roberts, who is with the Ordnance Corps at Brantford Ontario, writes:

Dear sir,  
In appreciation of the home town paper, the Didsbury Pioneer, the boys and myself from Didsbury are endeavoring to try and show our thanks and appreciation. Although we never realized how much our paper meant to us and we all enjoy having it with us every week as it has so many events which concern most of us.

From all the Didsbury boys in Brantford we say Thanks a million.

## Pioneer Pastor Passes

The death of Rev. James Black took place at New Westminster, B.C. on June 27 and the funeral was held on June 30.

Rev. Black will be remembered by the old timers of this district as a Baptist minister in the early 1900's and his missionary field extended both east and west of Didsbury. He was held in high regard throughout the district.

He is survived by his wife, three sons, Lieut. W. G. Black, Victoria, Alberta, F. Black of Vancouver, James at home. Also four daughters Mary, Dorothy, Helen, and Jean all at home.

Mrs. Ross Ford and Yvonne are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Benny Robinson of Morrinville, at their cottage at Sylvan Lake.

## Fair Day on Wednesday

Next Wednesday will be Fair Day at Didsbury. The prospects are that the exhibits will be up to the usual high standard. Most of the regular exhibitors, together with some newcomers, have expressed their intention of entering exhibits.

All entries should be made with the secretary before Saturday night.

The Dairy Calf Club will again hold their fair in connection and a special attraction this year will be the competition of the newly formed Beef Calf Club. The feature in this event will be the auction sale of beef calves, which will be held on the grounds at 3 p.m. Archie Boyce will be the auctioneer and buyers will likely be here from the Calgary and Edmonton packing houses, department and chain stores.

The judges who have been appointed by the Department of Agriculture for the fair are:

Horses,  
James Mitchell, Edmonton  
Beef Cattle,  
J. W. Biglands, Lacombe  
Dairy Cattle,  
A. C. Anderson, Calgary  
Sheep and Swine,  
P. Willie, Edmonton  
Ladies' Work,  
Mrs. Acheson, Edmonton

Mrs. Ernest Clarke, Mrs. J. R. Stevens and Mrs. Ray Lantz will be the superintendent in charge of ladies' work.

For the Sports there will be horse races a softball tournament and a good program of children's races.

## Weddings.

### PELETIER—JACOBSON

A pretty wedding was solemnized at the Lutheran Church at Pincher Creek on June 30th, Rev. W. Wachlin officiating, when Marion Regis eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Valmer Peletier of Fernie, B.C., became the bride of Gerald Dale, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Jacobson of Gorbun, B.C.

Mr. Otto Folkman was best man. A reception followed and after a short honeymoon the young couple will be at home in Corbin.

## Top Calgary Market.

With a shipment of baby beef W. Lyons, east of town, recently topped the Calgary market, receiving 12½¢ per lb for eleven head.

The cattle were Shorthorn-Herford crossbred and had been well finished.

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## Friday is Work Day at the Fair Grounds.

Friday has been set as work day by the grounds committee of the Agricultural Society.

Everyone is asked to contribute a day's work and there is lots of work to be done. Besides fixing up the old buildings, a new shed has to be erected to accommodate the Calf Club exhibits.

Sid O'Brien is the chairman of the grounds committee, just let him know you will be there.

## Evangelical Church Notes

Because the Young People's Convention and the Evangelical Camp being held on the Little Red river during this week, no services will be held in town Sunday, July 19.

The evangelist at the camp is Bishop C. A. Stauffacher of Kansas City, Mo. and Dr. Susan Bauernfeind 41 years a Japanese missionary, is the missionary speaker.

There is also a Women's Missionary Convention next Monday and Tuesday, July 20 and 21st. Everybody welcome.

## "67" RANCH PURCHASED BY AMERICAN INTERESTS

The well known "67" ranch in the Sundre district, owned by the late Dick Brown, has been purchased by American interests who will operate it under the name of "The Red Deer Valley Ranch Co."

Mr. Hamilton, manager of the company, accompanied by Mrs. Hamilton, have arrived here from Oklahoma and are at present on the ranch.

We understand 350 head of cattle will shortly be shipped in as a foundation herd. Extensive alterations will be made to the ranch buildings, while the spacious ranch home will be remodelled.

## Cards of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our neighbors and friends for their kind help and expressions of sympathy during our recent bereavement.

The Weber family.

To our many kind neighbors and friends we extend our sincere thanks for their kind help and expression of sympathy during the illness and death of our dear mother.

The Shantz family.

We desire by this means to express to our friends and neighbors and the associates of Mr. Clarke for expressions of condolence and their kind help during our bereavement.

Mrs. N. S. Clarke and family

## AGRICULTURAL CONDITIONS

Issued under the direction of the Hon. D. B. McMillan, Minister of Agriculture

### GENERAL

Prospects for a bumper crop are reported throughout the province. Rainfall has been considerably above normal in all crop areas with the exception of a section on the eastern border (see precipitation record). Although crop growth has been below average, moisture supplies are now adequate and with warmer weather crops should make rapid growth during the remainder of the season.

Damage to date has been very slight. No serious insect outbreaks have been reported, but slight damage has occurred from excess moisture to grain on low-lying land. Local hail storms have been reported in sections of Crop District 6.

Wet conditions have delayed work on summerfallow, and heavy weed growth has been noted in all districts. Warm weather this past week has enabled farmers to get on the land again. Live stock is in satisfactory condition.

Dairy production is showing an upward trend due to improved pasture conditions.

Prospects of a honey crop are good, providing warm weather continues.

Gardens appear to have suffered from late frosts. In most districts they are reported as only fair.

With the exception of Crop Districts 7, 10 and 14, feed supplies are ample for the season.

### FIELD CROPS

Condition of wheat, oats and barley is reported as good to excellent and is particularly promising in Crop Districts 1, 2 and 4. Height of wheat varies from 6 inches to 35 inches, and approximately 50 per cent is in the shot-blade. In the south early sown wheat is heading.

The flax crop is quite variable. Good stands have been obtained in the south where early moisture was adequate, but in the central and northern part of the province stands are only fair.

With the exception of the east-central portion of the province, the hay crop is good. Cutting has commenced in the south, but shortage of help may limit the amount put up this year.

### CARD OF THANKS

We take this opportunity to express our appreciation and thanks for kindness and sympathy extended to us during our bereavement. Also for the many floral tributes.

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## Importance Of The Farm

AS WE LOOK FORWARD to another harvest season, when the crops from Canada's farms and gardens are ready to be garnered, we may feel that here is an assurance of plenty of many vital food stuffs for ourselves and others of the United Nations. Canada's contributions from her dairies, farms and orchards are playing a great part in keeping the people of England supplied with food, and grain and other food products are being sent elsewhere to our Allies as they are needed and as there are facilities for transporting them. Our soldiers, sailors and airmen are known to us by their uniforms, and their deeds of gallantry are recorded in the press. This is as it should be, but perhaps too few people give due recognition to the farmer, who also plays an important role in the conflict. For the men in the services, the workers on the home front, and the civilian population, the supply of food is essential, both here and in Britain.

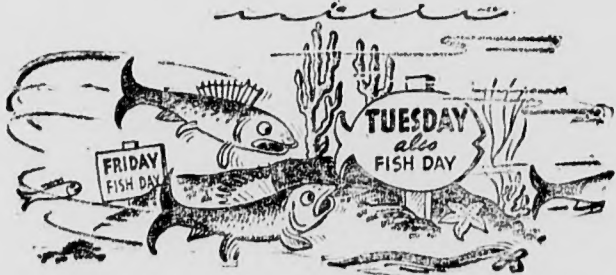
### Shortage Of Farm Labor

Young men from Canadian farms have gone in large numbers to the armed services, and to munition factories, with a resulting shortage of farm labor, which leaves many farmers to carry on, attempting to keep up production with real difficulty. Recent figures have shown that the average age of the Canadian farmer is past middle life, yet he is now often obliged to work unduly long hours, and to do the work ordinarily done by several men due to the shortage of help. In some cases this has led to a farmer feeling forced to curtail production, and dispose of livestock. When we reach the harvest season, this condition may be acute in some parts of the country, but it is to be hoped that sufficient labor will be made available and that in no parts of the country will there be a reduction in the production of vital food stuffs because of lack of workers.

### Depending On Canada

In some sections school boys and men from nearby towns have offered to assist with the harvest, and recent government regulations have been aimed at restricting the movement of farm workers to other industries. Canada is one of the few countries left where extensive production of food is possible, and nothing should be allowed to slow down this part of our war effort. In his recent budget speech Finance Minister Husley said: "Excluding wheat which has been in surplus supply since the beginning of the war and has required special measures, the prices of farm products on the average are now about two per cent. above the level of 1926 and prices of animal products are relatively still higher. Farmers are assured of these prices on a wide range of this season's crops and will receive, by government action, higher prices, than those now ruling for wheat, flax, soy beans, sugar beets and apples." The problems of the farmer today, as always, are many, and all possible support should be given him to keep his production at a high level in these critical times.

### ANOTHER FOR YOUR HEALTH BOOK



"We fish don't swim in the ocean only to be eaten on Friday and what with submarine warfare it is increasingly difficult to stay out of trouble all week," the chairman of a codfish colony said in an underwater interview last week, explaining that numbers of his colleagues were not only willing but eager to win dietary recognition on another day besides Friday.

"Tuesday, for instance," the elderly doyen of the codfish colony said. Comparing the value of fish with other foods, the chairman quoted the late Sir Wilfred Grenfell, famed medical missionary, whose autobiography points out that whales live on seafood and attain flamboyant proportions and unprecedented vitality.

Besides fresh fillets of cod, fish markets now have an extensive variety of other fillets and smoked fish of many kinds; the season for fresh Restogouche salmon is in full swing—though there are equally nourishing cheaper kinds of salmon, and fresh frozen fillets that taste just as good as though caught just a few minutes before being introduced to the pan.

#### HOW TO BUY FISH

Demand absolute freshness—shown by firm flesh which springs back when you touch it. Eyes should be bright. Gills should be fresh in color.

#### HOW TO KEEP FISH—UNTIL YOU COOK IT

Wrap fresh fish in waxed paper and place in the refrigerator. Keep packaged frozen fish frozen until ready to cook and allow a little more time for cooking.

#### FISH NEEDS CAREFUL COOKING TO BE GOOD EATING

Fish is always tender. Cook it evenly at low to moderate temperature so it will not dry out and get tough.

Ask your fishman—he knows the best way to cook different kinds of fish—whether to broil, bake, fry or boil them.

#### DID YOU EVER TRY?

Flaking the left over fish to mix with mashed potato for fish cakes next day?

Cream sauce to serve on toast?

Making a salmon loaf from canned pink salmon which is inexpensive?

Dressing up the fish by pouring over it a little melted butter flavored with lemon or Worcestershire sauce?

#### WHAT DO YOU SERVE WITH FISH?

For the main plate:—Fish, mashed potato and another cooked vegetable. For a crisp lift to the appetite:—Cole slaw; a green salad, raw carrot sticks.

To fill the gaps:—Bread and butter.

To end with that satisfied feeling:—Something light and sweet, or cheese and crackers.

Have you received your referential vitamin chart? Write for it to Dept. W.N.U., Health League of Canada, 111 Avenue Road, Toronto. Ask also for a fish recipe booklet giving 100 recipes for fish cookery.

There is no scientific basis for the theory that men's brains are better than women's, according to Soviet scientists.

Lightning flashes over the earth continuously, striking on the average of 56 times a second, or 2,000,000,000 times a year.

## The Individual Citizen's Army

A Weekly Column About This And That In The Canadian Army.  
By Alan Maurice Irwin

An ingenious reporter made a tour of gasoline stations a few weeks ago and demonstrated how to buy gasoline without giving up coupons.

He wrote an article that was featured heavily in his paper and a number of readers spoke of it as a fine public service.

To the Enforcement Counsel of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board the article looked a little different.

They said: "It would have been a fine public service if the bright young man had brought the information to us so we could act on it instead of telling 200,000 readers how to do it!"

A narrow view? I don't think so. It wasn't that the lawyer feared 200,000 people would break the law. But he did know from sad experience that a percentage would.

It's something like those "Crime Does Not Pay" movies. You show potential gangsters and racketeers how to do something they hadn't thought of and then point a moral.

Nine times out of ten the person at whom the moral is pointed pays no heed to it. And those who do heed it don't need it!

A somewhat similar situation arose a few months ago when a racket was uncovered in one Canadian city. This one was operated by a man who took fearful chances with a drug which he administered to young men who did not want to serve in the army.

Reporters who got hold of the story, admirably, from a newspaperman's point of view, wanted to get their teeth into the story and uncover all the details.

When, however, it was explained to them that publication of these details not only might encourage other malefactors to start similar rackets but might also result in deaths from ignorant toying with dangerous drugs the whole story dropped from sight.

This parallel between what we civilians do, and what happens in the Army gets very strong at times, doesn't it?

Yes, I mean just that. The dealer in gasoline who aids a motorist to evade the gasoline regulations is every bit as dangerous to the war effort as the low character who aids draft violators to escape their duty.

A number of people with whom I have been talking recently have posed an interesting question. It is "what is the Reserve Army going to do about men in rural districts and smaller centres who want to join but have no Reserve Army unit near them?"

A few days ago I travelled for sometime on the same train as "Sam" Browne, Director-General of the Reserve Army, and that was one of the questions we discussed.

At the moment the Reserve Army is so far below strength in the centres in which units are established that the first job to be done is its recruitment up to strength and the training of men who are handy to the Armouries. Except in towns where there are Armouries it is hard to find suitable headquarters. Eventually, however, plans will be considered to make reserve training available to as many who are not eligible for active service as possible.

Major-General Brown was on his way to Montreal to address a meeting of the Recruiting Committee that has set itself the task of raising 10,000 men for the Reserve Army in that city.

He said that similar campaigns in Toronto and the West had been very successful and that they had reached their quotas in a very short time.

A funny thing got into the papers a few days ago. It was a story from Ottawa saying that the Army would follow the lead of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board by prohibiting uniform trousers with cuffs and pleats.

What's funny about that? Just this, that it has been in the dress regulations for a long time that



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officers' slacks must not have cuffs. They never have had pleats.

So, as a matter of fact, the Individual Citizen's Army, in doing without cuffs and pleats on its trousers is following the Army's lead, not the other way round.

Here's a piece of Citizen's Army slang for a change. This is to be found on invitations. It is "B.Y.O.T." or "B.Y.O.C." or "B.Y.O.S." The meaning? Simple! Bring your own tea, or Bring your own coffee, or Bring your own sugar.

And why not? There's a war on! Best of all would be "Come on your own feet," there's plenty of use for gasoline in the Tank Corps.

Nearly three and one-half centuries elapsed after the invention of gunpowder before sporting firearms came into general use.

Scientists believe that birds are an offshoot of active reptiles.



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The stock-in-trade of the ordnance branch includes everything from such simple articles as shoe-laces to the largest contributions of heavy industry and the most refined and precise contributions of modern science to the business of making war.

Mr. Sifton brings to his task a background of extensive and sound military and business experience. During the First Great War he saw three years' active service in France and rose from subaltern to major and second-in-command of his battalion, the 4th Canadian Mounted Rifles.

By personal inclination and family tradition he is a horseman and it is a paradox that in the last war he served as an infantry officer in a dismounted cavalry regiment while in this war he looks after the cars, trucks, tractors, motorcycles and tanks which have pushed horses forever out of armies.

Defence Minister Ralston took advantage of his offer to serve in any capacity during the present war and called him to Ottawa, first in an unofficial capacity and later as executive assistant. Serving without pay Mr. Sifton acted as a sort of troubleshooter for the minister. He looked into and reported on various problems, one of them ordnance.

That branch was growing by leaps and bounds and, largely on Mr. Sifton's recommendation, the minister obtained the temporary services of Philip Chester of Winnipeg, general manager of the Hudson's Bay Company, as master-general. When the time came for Mr. Chester to go back to his company, Mr. Sifton was called upon to take the job. He did not want it but he accepted and severed all active connection with his newspaper, The Winnipeg Free Press, and other business interests for the duration.

Precedent was shattered when Mr. Chester, a civilian, was appointed master-general of the ordnance, a post always considered one for a high-ranking officer. Mr. Chester was not given military rank because his service was to be temporary but the same reason did not apply when Mr. Sifton accepted the post for the duration.

He preferred, however, to serve in civilian clothes rather than don a uniform with the red tabs of a general. Most of his staff are uniformed officers.

Tall, handsome and well groomed Mr. Sifton is a smooth-working executive. He is at his desk or in conference from early morning until late at night. "There is nothing spectacular about this job," he says. "It is dull, routine work."

His eyes show a sparkle of interest, however, when the question of inventions and improvements in weapons comes up. He lets it be known, without disclosing details, that things are moving and Canadian science and industry have some surprises in store for the enemy.

Part of the job of the ordnance branch is research. It tests out ideas and decides what equipment the army should have. Then it requisitions the equipment from the department of munitions and supply which must buy it or arrange for its manufacture. After the equipment comes through it must be inspected by the staff of the Inspection Board for the United Kingdom and Canada, of which Mr. Sifton is a member.

When it passes inspection the job of the master-general of the ordnance then is to deliver it as required to the forces in Canada and overseas.

Mr. Sifton talks little of his war experiences but the official records speak for him. They show he was wounded by shellfire at Messines in December, 1915, while serving as staff captain at Brigade headquarters and that on returning to service he took command of a company and

ended the war as major and second-in-command of the battalion.

He was awarded the Distinguished Service Order for services in the capture of the village of Folles during the advance on Amiens in August, 1918. In this attack he not only led his own company with distinction but assumed direction of other attacking companies whose commanders became casualties.

On returning to Canada Mr. Sifton joined the Mississauga Horse at Toronto and commanded the unit for a time with the rank of lieutenant-colonel. He traveled a good deal, visited China, Russia and Germany, worked at "various jobs" as he puts it and in 1928 became a newspaper publisher.

As a publisher he took a keen interest in the editorial as well as the business side of the business, did a bit of writing himself, reported the World Economic Conference of 1933 in London for his papers, became a director and later vice-president of The Canadian Press.

### Wear On Tires

**Tires Last Longer When A Car Is Operated At A Lower Speed**

By operating a car or truck at 25 miles per hour instead of 70 miles per hour, the wear on the tires can be cut in half. At a speed of only 40 miles per hour, tire wear is 25 to 35 per cent. more than at 25 miles per hour, says W. Kalfleisch, Agricultural Engineering Section, Field Husbandry Division, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

Not only does a lower speed reduce the surface wear on tires, but it also reduces tire breakage, accidents, gasoline consumption and wear on other parts of the machine. By driving at a moderately low speed one is not so likely to ruin a tire which goes flat or blows out when the car is in operation. Side wall ruptures caused by stones, broken pavement, curbs, or railway tracks can be eliminated by lower speeds and careful driving.

The heavy use of brakes, quick acceleration and the fast turning of corners, which is associated with high speed driving, wastes gasoline or rubber.

Retailers are warning the motoring public that anti-freeze solutions may bring as much as 60 to 75 cents a quart next winter—and it will be hard to obtain.

### Go Slowly As Possible

**Bomber Pilots Do Not Dive At Full-Out Power**

Dive bomber pilots do not dive earthward at full-out power in lunging at their target. Instead, they bring the plane down as slowly as possible, because at the terrific speeds which can be set up in such dives they have only a split second or two in which to sight accurately on the objective or to correct the course of their plane.

### CAUSE FOR ANNOYANCE

The people of Paris are annoyed. They have discovered that 50,000 francs, presented at Hitler's request to the authorities to aid victims of the recent R.A.F. raid, came from a pool formed from unjust fines levied by Nazis on the people of Occupied France. Many Parisians are refusing aid as a result.

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by Alice Brooks

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## Work Of British Commandos In Their Operations Requires Men Of Daring And Resourcefulness

Major, R. V. Boyle, a member of the British Army Staff in Washington, who served on the Commando Operational Staff in England, told about the British Commandos in a speech which he recently made in New York.

The Oxford Dictionary gives two rather contradictory interpretations of the word "tough." One is "ruffianly, turbulent and criminal." The other interpretation—the one required of Commandos—is "tenacious, able to endure hardship, hardy, unyielding, stubborn."

As an example of tenacity, a raiding party, returning to its craft on the French coast, had almost completed embarkation when one of the men dropped his rifle into the sea. It was pitch-dark, but the man jumped overboard and groped for his rifle under eight feet of water. The enemy's fire was becoming more accurate, so his officer caught him by the collar as he came up for air and pulled him back into the boat. Instead of being grateful, the man was furious that he was not allowed to try again.

It was then discovered that during his time in the water, he had been shot in the elbow—the only casualty which the party sustained.

The first foray mentioned by Major Boyle was in France. It was designed primarily to do damage to German defences and to shake the morale of the Nazi soldier.

One night several Germans were riding their bicycles on their way to take over duty in a concrete coastal defence post and they were laughing and talking as they coasted down a hill. As they swung around a bend they were surrounded and not one finished his ride. Now just imagine the feelings of other German bicycle patrols and relief parties when that story spread around—and they certainly do spread around.

Many such raids have taken place without official or press report from London or Berlin.

In an earlier raid on the Norwegian coast, which Major Boyle describes, the object was to collect the Nazi military commander of the area. The house in which he lived was some miles out of the town. Having landed at night and cut the communications before the Germans knew they had arrived, a party of Commandos previously assigned to this task took a car and drove to the house. They arrived about 8.15 a.m., liquidated the guard in complete silence and then

walked to the front door and rang the bell.

It was opened by a servant who found himself facing an armory of weapons. With a revolver in the small of his back, he was forced to lead the way to the door of the German officer's study, where he was working.

With delightful irony, the Commandos knocked on his door. Without looking up, he called "come in" and continued writing. When he realized that more than one person had come in, he looked up to find himself covered from every angle. In the words of the officer in charge of the party the look of amazement on that German's face was better than any theatre. He and his papers were removed to England without anyone else in the house even knowing that he had gone.

The third raid described was on General Rommel's rear headquarters in Libya. This has been reported in the press, but Major Boyle's account has disclosed details of the fighting which were not told in the earlier story.

The headquarters was located 40 miles behind the German lines and the raiding party landed from the sea and approached overland. The guards at the front were despatched silently—the special knife carried by all ranks is a great help in this sort of work—and then the raiders walked unobserved into the building. Straight in front of them were the stairs and on the right were two adjoining rooms. The farther room was the one used by General Rommel when he was at rear headquarters.

The party attacking the office was led by Lieut. Colonel Keyes, 24-year-old son of Admiral of the Fleet Sir Roger Keyes of Zeebrugge fame. Immediately they rushed into the first room where two German staff officers were working. These men were taken completely by surprise and were shot before they could even get up from their desks. Without pausing, Colonel Keyes led his men into the farther room, but the sound of the shots had aroused the occupants and as Keyes rushed in he was met by a burst of revolver shots. At the same moment, one of the party shot out the light.

It was evident that General Rommel was not there, and his room was being used by other staff officers. Quickly the raiding party slammed the door again. They could hear breathing inside, so standing well back they opened the door a crack and lobbed in a few hand grenades. They had no more trouble from that room.

By now, however, the enemy had started coming to the staircase from the rooms upstairs. But a couple of men had been left to watch the stairway and as the Germans started to crowd down they were mown down with a Tommy gun. Men from the outside were now running to the front door, so it was time for the party to beat a retreat.

Shooting their way out (all but two got away) they eluded their pursuers and some miles away rejoined the main body which, meanwhile, had been engaged on other objectives.—Bulletins From Britain, New York.

### Heaviest Man

**Forty-two Year Old Native Of South Africa Weighed 756 Pounds**

Smith Poti, who weighed 756 pounds but was only five feet six inches tall, has died of influenza in Johannesburg.

The 42-year-old native of Johannesburg was known throughout South Africa for years as "the heaviest man in the world." His waistline measured six feet, eight inches.

When he was stricken ill at his home, it required 12 men to carry him to the truck which served as an ambulance.

### GUESTS NOT WANTED

Virtually all food is under ration control and most London clubs are limiting the number of guests members may bring for dinner. Some have asked members not to bring guests for meals at all.

### Waterfalls In The National Parks



Caribou in Jasper National Park, Alberta, Canada

The mountain caribou of Jasper National Park in Alberta, and Glacier and Mount Revelstoke National Parks in British Columbia, is very seldom seen by those whose travels are confined to the motorways. In the summer it lives mostly above timberline, on high alpine meadows far from the roads rather than on the steep slopes overlooking them. In winter it comes down into the woods. Park wardens on their lonely rounds and others whom the spirit of adventure takes back into the hills, find a great deal of pleasure in watching the behaviour of caribou herds. The mountain caribou living in the Selkirks and part of the Rockies, is undoubtedly a close relation of the woodland caribou of the forests farther east. Some herds of woodland caribou range into Prince Albert National Park, Saskatchewan.



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## The World of Wheat

By H. G. L. Strange

Director "The Crop Testing Plan"

### PLOTS AND NEW PLANTS

The elevator agents of the companies which sponsor the "Crop Testing Plan" have, for the eleventh year in succession, sown a large number of plots—407 to be exact. These plots include District Plots where the seed sown this spring—hence the crop to be harvested—by over 12,000 farmers will be tested for trueness to variety; demonstration and yield plots where up-to-date varieties of wheat, oats, barley and flax are on show; a number of special plots to determine where commercial varieties of corn will mature, and a most interesting series of plots to determine just where the fibre flax plant will produce fibre of high enough quality to be scratched and spun into linen thread.

Two new varieties of rust-resistant oats, Esoter and Ajax, and a new early variety, Valor, together with an entirely new variety of oil flax which is resistant to wilt and is a high yielder, are included in the demonstration plots.

Farmers and other people should not fail to visit one of these plots. They will then see with their own eyes that which will be of interest and of considerable value to them. Any of our elevator agents will be delighted to explain and to demonstrate to visitors the details of the various experiments.

The following factors have tended to decrease supply and increase demand: There is a shortage of bread grains in middle eastern countries; seedling is delayed in Argentina; the food situation continues critical in most European countries; Canada is shipping gift wheat to Greece to relieve the food situation.

The following factors have tended to increase supply or decrease demand: Present crop prospects indicate a bumper wheat crop in Western Canada; U.S. winter and spring crop prospects continue generally excellent; crops in the United Kingdom are expected to be considerably larger than 1941.

## COMPULSORY SAVINGS SHOULD NOT REPLACE VOLUNTARY SAVINGS

OTTAWA—The position of all Canadians economically is going to be worse, not better, before this war is over, Finance Minister J. L. Ilsey told a representative group of leading Canadian retailers as the July War Savings Stamp and Certificate Campaign was launched at a retailers' meeting here today.

Mr. Ilsey deprecated what he thought might be a prevalent belief that because of compulsory savings inaugurated in the last budget, the people of Canada had no more to do in the way of financial sacrifice. Said he: "There is a great danger in that the Canadian people might believe that compulsory savings replace voluntary savings. This is a fallacy. There is a real fight to finance this war and I am willing to say that what seems to be impossible must be accomplished. It has been done before by Canada and it has been done by some of our Allies, as you know. So we must set our jaws and fight."

This fight, he said, had been waged by the National War Finance Committee and he was convinced that the committee would repeat previous successes. As opposed to voluntary savings he saw only the "undiluted disaster of inflation" which, he insisted, the Government was trying to prevent by every means at its command.

The Finance Minister described the actual situation in Egypt as a critical juncture in the war of the democracies against the Axis. It was his belief that this battle, if none other, should bring home to Canada the cruel necessities of the present situation.

In point of actual figures, Mr. Ilsey recalled that pre-war budgets amounted to not more than \$500,000,000 at the outside. In the present fiscal year Canada, he said, must spend \$3,900,000,000 or at least eight times the pre-war figure. For the sake of comparison, he noted that the figure for war spending in the United States would amount to \$60,000,000,000.

## BOARD ASKS RETURN OF SUGAR COUPONS

In accordance with the ruling that householders and firms should return coupons for surplus sugar supplies on hand after the rationing date, July 1st, 1942, there is a steady flow of coupons coming into the rationing division, Wartime Prices and Trade Board, officials state.

Coupons are submitted to the regional offices of the Board, Williamson Building, Edmonton, and will be received every two weeks, for as long as the supplies last, or until the householder needs more sugar.

As yet there has been little response from residents of country districts, due, it is felt, to distance, and problems of communication. City areas have responded well.

In some cases, sugar itself has been returned to the rationing offices of the Board, indicating that people are anxious to comply with regulations promptly. Infractions bring penalties to the maximum of \$5,000 or five years imprisonment, or both.

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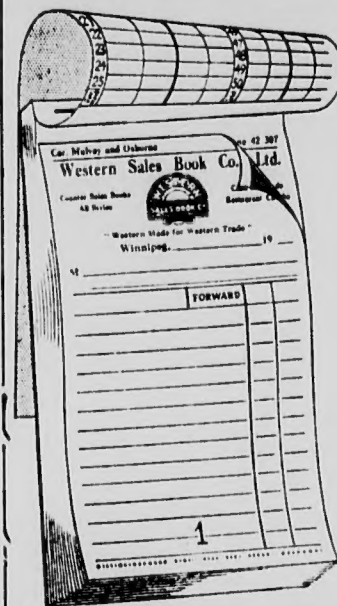
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ANNE TEDLOCK BROOKS

### CHAPTER XXIX.

Tamar was allowed to go outside the cabin for a brief taste of fresh air. She caught a glimpse of the plane sheltered by an over-hanging copse of woods low on the slope of the first foothill. They were in a valley, and she knew that Louie must be an expert pilot to have landed so easily. It took precision to drop down in a place like this. The broad strip of withered grass she knew was used for a runway.

Here they were in another world. What more perfect place for a hide-out than this?

Louie tied her in a chair and said, "Therese will get here long before noon. She'll take care of you until I get back."

He placed her near the radio and turned it in and said: "Too bad that you can't change your station till Therese gets here. I won't risk your smoking—smart girl like you might try to burn the binding from your hands. If you get hungry, just ring the bell," he grinned maliciously.

Tamar heard the plane start and take off and settled down to a morning of monotony, which even fear and dread could not dispel. The radio helped a little, yet the programs seemed usually dull, excepting for the recorded musical numbers.

The room grew cool finally after the logs burned low and there was no way for her to replenish it. Once she thought that something might happen to Louie and she not be found for days occurred to her, and she thought that even this experience with Louie was better than being left here to starve slowly.

Shadwell, her father, Ranny and the Cricket Hill seemed far away. She would not allow herself to remember Christopher. That hurt too much.

Out of the distance came the soft purring of a motorcar. She could see the long low coupe as it swung around the corner of the cabin window. A feminine figure sat at the wheel.

A minute later the cabin door opened and in came Louie's Therese. Tamar stared at her.

"Lo, darling," Louie told me all about you. I don't think he did you justice, though." A gamin smile lit her features, and Tamar almost smiled back.

Therese was small and well round-

ed and of course, a blonde. Her curls were glossy and well brushed, following the line of her small head. Her nose was impudently turned up and her brown eyes wide spaced and clear. She didn't look like any conception of a gangster's moll.

"I've read all about you," Therese went on.

Tamar studied her. The green suede set-in belt of the coat hugged her small waist and looped rakishly at the side. Therese untied it and slipped her hat off in the same motion. She stood in a green jersey dress, good lines cleverly cut.

Tamar said: "How do you do, Therese. I'm Tamar Randolph, and I'll appreciate your hospitality. So far I've not really suffered, but I'm beginning to get a little cold."

Therese laid a small gun conspicuously in sight, and said: "We'll take care of that problem right away. Now if you'll promise me that you'll be sweet and give me no trouble, I'll play ball with you."

Strange how those clear, steady eyes could narrow. The girls stared at each other, measuringly. "Promise?" Therese asked softly. "If you do, then I'll let your hands go, but if you don't I'll have to keep em tied."

"I—I promise. There's no way of getting out of here, and I don't know a thing about guns," Tamar smiled wanly.

"I do. I've killed one man, and although it hurt my conscience a bit at first, not any more. He was trying to do in Louie," she excused the crime with a shouldered shrug. "I don't know what that big bozo's got that keeps me that way. But I do love the egg, like nobody's business, and I'll look after him."

Therese untied Tamar's hands, but did not touch the cord around her feet. "Louie and I were married three years ago. He's gone a lot, and I don't appreciate his doing this job. But we'll get by — We always have."

She built another fire and set about getting lunch ready. This meal consisted of sandwiches and hot coffee and fruit. Afterward the girls sat and smoked. Tamar was amazed at Therese's philosophy. Where in the world had she soaked all of it up, she wondered.

"Tell me about Shadwell. I loved every word that I read about it. I've always wanted to see some place like that. Must be something like the plantations in 'Gone With the Wind.' There was a book, Rhett Butler. I call Louie that once in a while. And as long as he hasn't read it, I can get by. Do all Southern girls have big blue eyes and coal-black hair?"

"Why, no! Of course not! My best friend is as blond as you!"

Therese's voice had the same quick-

ness and accent of the Easterners she had known and Tamar wished that she might ask her something about herself.

After lunch Therese did a thorough job of going over the cabin. She brought in clean linens from the trunk of her car, and swept and dusted with vigor. The house fairly shone from her efforts. After she was through, she settled down with some handwork and tossed conversational sallies to Tamar. In the late afternoon she replenished the basket of wood from the pile near the cabin.

"It's getting lots colder. I hope that we don't have bad weather right now. We can usually count on several nice weeks here in this little valley."

Therese made no preparations for a man's meal, and Tamar surmised that she was not expecting Louie back tonight. Once she even went so far as to try to figure out some scheme of getting loose from the bonds about her feet and trying to escape during the time when Therese might sleep. But she knew that was hopeless. Her hands would be bound again.

Tamar realized that her note would be used by Louie to identify her to her father so he could collect the ransom. As her thoughts returned to Shadwell once more, she remembered unwillingly how she had longed only yesterday for Christopher Sande. What would he be doing? Was there any effort that he could make in trying to find her?

Ransome Todd was impulsive and hard-hitting. He would perhaps have by this time confronted Major Towne with the accusation of her kidnapping, when he had not had anything to do with it.

How much of the affair did Christopher Sande know previously.

Hot tears started to her eyes, and she made a determined effort to not let Therese know that she wanted to cry. What good would it do? Instead she answered Therese's questions agreeably and at length.

At dusk Therese put away her handwork, drew the blinds and lit the lamps. The long room became livable and cozy again.

"I'll get a bite to eat. You ought to have some vegetables." She went into the kitchen and looked through the shelves. She whistled as she worked and Tamar realized that the part she was taking in this crime had very little weight upon her conscience.

While they were eating Tamar had a wild desire to laugh. This simply wasn't according to Hoyle. It was perfectly weird, and no one would believe her. Selby Sheridan's eyes would grow big and Dick would smile his slowest and say: "Sure that you weren't dreaming? Witnesses are so undependable. You didn't see any pink elephants running around in green-and-white shirtwaists?"

Ranny would seek out this cabin in the valley and annihilate it—but he wouldn't believe that this sort of thing could take place. It might be an afternoon tea. And Therese was almost as personable as some of the girls in Tamar's bridge club, and twice as pretty as most of them.

Once the radio made a reference to Tamar's kidnapping and Therese edged closer. Static broke into the announcer's words and they could hear only a confused mumbling. Tamar noticed the clock on the mantel, but it must have been only a news cast, she decided. She thought that Therese seemed nervous after that, though, and tried to get other news broadcasts.

Therese bound her hands after she was in bed. Tamar tried to go to sleep but tossed and turned as best she could with her hands bound. She realized that it was very late when she did drop off, and knew nothing more until the sun flooded the room.

Therese did not look as though she had slept well, and there was a pile of cigarette stubs in the large tray on the smoker. This morning she was more nervous than last night, and did not make much effort to talk. Her lips had lost their pleasant curve and Tamar realized that she was frightened. When Louie returned, her bravado would come back, but now, she was only a woman with something to worry about.

The morning was unbearably long. Several times Tamar knew that Therese was listening intently and thought that her head was lifted toward the sky. Evidently she was expecting Louie to come back in the plane.

About noon Therese heated the oven in the wood range in the kitchen and prepared to brown a cooked ham. She worked at it expertly, peeling off the outer skin, rubbing it with brown sugar and spices and pouring pineapple juice about it. She washed potatoes and put them in the oven to bake. Tamar asked her once if she would like some help, but Therese merely shook her head.

Therese set the table and made the last of the dinner preparations. She smoked incessantly, and kept going to the windows and looking out. After 1 o'clock they heard the motor of the plane. Therese ran out of the door, and Tamar could see her waving her arm. She trembled. What would Louie do next? Would he be ready to return her to Shadwell?

(To Be Continued)

### FEW DARK NIGHTS

Completely dark nights in the polar regions are an exception. The Aurora Borealis in the Arctic, and the Aurora Australis in the Antarctic, constantly add their brilliant displays to the darkened sky, and the horizon usually is lighted by the hidden sun.

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### At The Close Of A Busy Day On The Farm



The above cartoon, drawn by an art student at the University of Oklahoma, is here reproduced for the first time in Canada through the courtesy of Prof. John H. ("Walter Camp") Casey of the Oklahoma school of journalism. Professor Casey has written an appropriate text for the drawing and dedicated it to the Missouri Press Association which celebrated its 75th anniversary last week at the annual Journalism week at the University of Missouri of which he is an alumnus. His article follows:

### THE FARM FAMILY 'GOES TO TOWN' EVERY SATURDAY

Any Thursday or Friday evening, you'll find a scene like this in the Jones Family farm home. When the eggs have been counted, packed and set aside in a cool place, ready for market each adult and adolescent member of the household "goes for" the STORE NEWS in the local newspaper in a big way.

Junior, age 13, wants the latest price and specifications on a new streamlined "bike." Sue's interest is a new "chapeau" . . . and she knows how to pronounce it the French way. Dad looks for the hardware listings and he's been talking of a new tractor some of late . . . while Mom goes for the drug store prices, women's wear and grocery items. Not a single advertised value escapes her thrifty, eagle eye.

Then, there's Grandpap, who needs some "tobacco" and maybe a new

pair of overshoes. Bill, the hired hand, figures as how he'll be looking for a used car bargain. Josephine, age nine and Archie, age seven, need some new toggery and some school supplies . . . but, Mom's looking after that while they scan the "funnies" together bellybust on the living room floor.

Just a typical farm family on any Thursday or Friday evening after the local newspaper has arrived . . . in studied preparation for the family's weekly shopping excursion to town Saturday.

That's what Professor Casey wrote, and it is just as true in Canada, with the present day exception on "rationed" articles.

Without the Home Town weekly, with its intimate news, it would be hard to know what is going on in the neighborhood, particularly new with all the rationing of tires, gas, etc., etc.

We thank Professor Casey for allowing us to publish this cartoon and the accompanying text.

### PINS MAKE GUNS

For steel and brass savings, Britain used 1,500,000,000 fewer pins last year than in 1940. In an order restricting the amount of steel to be used in hair pins and hobby pins in the United States it is expected to effect a saving of 16,000,000 pounds of steel. This is equivalent to 160,000 30 calibre machine guns.

The Copernican theory was the conception that the sun, and not the earth is the centre of our planetary system.

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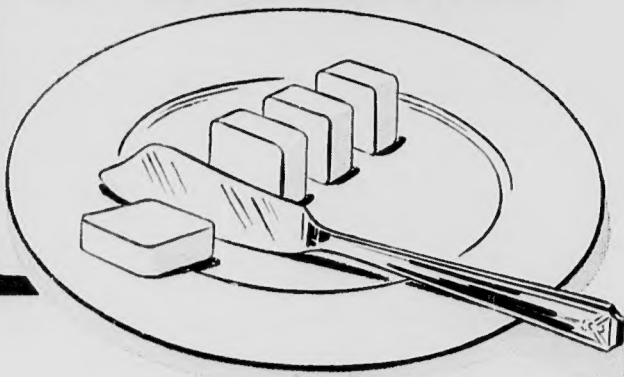
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National War Finance Committee



### LOCAL & GENERAL

Dr. and Mrs. McPherson left on Wednesday for a two week vacation at Edmonton.

Gnr. Gerheart Bogner of R.C.A. Stationed at Shilo, Man., is now home on a two week furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. W. McFarquhar are spending a two weeks vacation at Sylvan Lake.

Miss Enith Hunsperger, of Edmonton, is spending her vacation at her home here.

All Summer Dresses Reduced at The New Shoppe!

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Dolman and son Brian of Rimbey, visited with their daughter Betty Dolman last weekend.

Mrs. Blatchford went to Edmonton on Sunday to visit with her daughter and to attend the Edmonton Exhibition.

Mr. W. G. Liesemer of Calgary and his son Arnold of Chicago were visiting friends and relations in town last week.

Don Mortimer and Sam Boorman are acting as instructors for two weeks at the Boys Camp at Bowfort on the Banff trail.

Mr. and Mrs. James Law of Edmonton are visiting their sons, George and Jack Law and families this week.

Mrs. George McKenzie-Greive, of Innisfail, is visiting, this week, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Russell.

AC2 Bert Buhr who is with the Airforce at Edmonton spent his week end leave at his home here.

Miss Irene Sinclair returned Monday evening after a pleasant holiday in Calgary with her sisters, Mrs. Leonard Devins and Miss Vera Sinclair.

Miss Grace Topley, the Royal Bank, is relieving at Strathmore for a few weeks. We understand that on her return she will be transferred to Calgary.

Misses Willa Cressman and Emma Snyder, of Kitchener, Ont., are visiting at the Allen Hunsperger home this week, enroute to Victoria, B.C., on a vacation.

During July and August the Red Cross rooms in the Leuszler Block will be closed. Anyone requiring material should get in touch with Mrs. Wigglesworth.

Miss Hattie Law went to Sylvan Lake on Monday where she joined Miss K. Collins and Miss Bea Kendrick who are holidaying there.

LAC Art Evans, who is training at the Service Flying Training at Regina was visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Evans last weekend. Art expects to graduate as a pilot in three weeks.

Mrs. Eva Hopkins arrived from Los Angeles last week and is spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. Geo Sexsmith.

"Nothing but the Truth," a Bob Hope comedy will be at the Didsbury Theatre this Thursday, Friday and Saturday. He is supported by Paulette Goddard and Edward Arnold.

Mrs. Stackhouse who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hugot of Olds, was here calling on her Didsbury friends last week. Mrs. Stackhouse has been residing in the east while her husband completed his training in the Airforce.

H. Morgan, our local postmaster, is attending the convention of the Alberta Postmasters' Association being held at Edmonton this week. He figured prominently in the pictures of the convention published in the Edmonton Journal.

Douglas Wordie has received word that he has been successful in passing his examination in grade 10 piano with the Toronto Conservatory of Music. He also passed in counterpoint with first class honors. Douglas is a pupil of Mrs. R. A. Gulliver.

Miss Iva Rupp has resigned her position with the Didsbury High School staff to take a position in a Calgary School. Miss Rupp has been on the Didsbury School Staff for the past eight years and was an efficient and well liked teacher. Her friends wish her success in her new sphere.

A pleasant social evening was spent at the H. M. Bowman residence on Tuesday evening when some forty guests were entertained by Ross and Betty at a lawn dance. Refreshments were served during the evening and the young folks had a real enjoyable time.

### Burnside Notes

Mrs. Lewis McCulloch and family of Turner Valley are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Viney.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clarke have been spending the week with their sons in Arrowood and Calgary.

Mr. Bill Jenkins of Turner Valley has been holidaying at his home here.

The July meeting of the Lone Pine W.I. was held at the home of Mrs. Emily Hunter. Mrs. Chas. Mardon gave a good paper on "Child Welfare and Public Health." Mrs. B. A. Woods won the contest put on by Mrs. Harold Davidson. Mrs. Mardon won the 10c draw and Mrs. Enoch Hughes the July War Savings Certificate.

A picnic and dance sponsored by the W.I. will be held at the hall on Friday, July 24th.

### Rugby Notes

The last meeting of the rugby W.I. was held at the home of Mrs. D. Evans. It was decided to hold the next meeting in the form of a picnic weather permitting, at Campbell's crossing. It was also decided not to send a delegate to Olds for Farm Women's week but for as many as possible to go up for one day.

The Elton Willing Workers met in the School on Wednesday of last week and 2 quilts were tied. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. L. Barnard, Wed. July 22.

L. A. C. Orville Anderson returned to the coast Friday after spending two weeks leave with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Hosegood and Maxine, Mr. and Mrs. Hogg and Norman and many others were Calgary visitors last week.

### Rebecca Activities

On July 8th the Rebeccas met at the home of Mrs. Jim Johnson with 6 members and two visitors present.

During the afternoon a very nice piece quilt was quilted.

On Friday, July 17, the ladies have planned to hold a picnic at the Little Red on the W. Davies farm. This is a community picnic and a cordial invitation is extended to one and all wishing to come. Softball and races have been planned. You are asked to provide your own lunch complete with the dinner hour set for one o'clock—so please come early.

The next meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. Bob Toppin on Wednesday July 29. After a very busy afternoon, a beautiful lunch was served by the hostess, Mrs. Johnson.

### IN MEMORIAM

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